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Re the application of:
Mark R. Hinds et al.

Serial No.: 09/746,199

Filed: December 26, 2000

For: IDENTIFICATION MODULE
FOR A PASSIVE COMPONENT
OF A SYSTEM

Group Art Unit: 2651

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Attorney Docket: 91436-298

RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

The Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231
U.S.A.

Dear Sir:

Responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of January 30, 2001, we enclose
the following:

- (i) a copy of the Notice;
- (ii) a fully signed Declaration and Power of Attorney; and
- (iii) a cheque in the amount of US\$240.00 in payment of the requisite missing parts
fee and the one month extension of time petition fee.
- (iv) petition for extension of time under 37 CFR 1.136(a) – large entity;

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(v) 3 pages of substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84.

Please deduct any underpayment or credit any overpayment of the fee to our
deposit account No. 19-2548.

Respectfully submitted,



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Dear Sir/Madam:

LETTER TO THE OFFICIAL DRAFTSPERSON

Applicant encloses three sheets of formal drawings for this application.

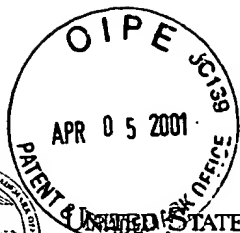
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FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

Filing Date Granted

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The signature of the following inventor(s) is missing from the oath or declaration:
Francois Boudreault
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$130 for a non-small entity, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.
- The balance due by applicant is \$ 130.

The application is informal since it does not comply with the regulations for the reason(s) indicated below. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to correct the informalities indicated below.

The required item(s) identified below must be timely submitted to avoid abandonment:

- Substitute drawings in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 because:
 - Drawings must be reasonably free from erasures and must be free from alterations, overwritings, interlineations, folds, and copy marks.

*A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the reply.*

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